

## **COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

## **DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**

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**Director of Public Works** 

## STORM REPORT APRIL 3, 2006, TO APRIL 5, 2006

The storm that began on Monday, April 3, 2006, is expected to diminish by this afternoon. As of 6:00 a.m. on April 5, 2006, the storm produced total precipitation amounts as follows:

Downtown Los Angeles 1.76 inches
San Gabriel Mountains 2.20
San Gabriel Valley 1.51
Santa Clarita Area 1.72
San Fernando Valley 2.05
Malibu 1.72
Antelope Valley 0.84

Our Flood Maintenance and Road Maintenance personnel continue to monitor road conditions. Dams are holding water, and spreading of water for water conservation continues.

The following roads were closed due to snow and ice conditions and are expected to reopen by April 6, 2006.

- Angeles Forest Highway from Angeles Crest Highway to Sierra Highway
- Upper Big Tujunga Canyon Road from Angeles Forest Highway to Angeles Crest Highway

Mount Wilson Red Box Road, from Angeles Crest Highway to Audio Road, was partially closed due to snow, ice, and slides. Avenue T at Big Rock Wash and Mount Emma Road at Little Rock Wash were closed due to water flowing over the roadway and will be reopened when the flooding subsides.

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Chain controls have been implemented along Big Pines Highway at an elevation of 4,500 feet in the Wrightwood area. The chain controls will be removed when driving conditions improve.

We continue to monitor the recent Topanga and Harvard Fire areas. We are also monitoring for any potential landslide movement at Hume Road in the Santa Monica Mountains, Montellano Avenue in Hacienda Heights, and Plum Canyon Road in the Santa Clarita area. We have no major incidents to report at these locations.

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